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LATEST IN STOCK NEWS

Better Prices are Being Paid For Fat Cattle--Buyers are in Klamath County.

SHEEP TRANSFERS THIS WEEK

F. M. Green returned a few days ago from driving the 70 beef to Gazelle. Mr. Green informs us that he has about 400 head of 2-year-old steers and fat cows to dispose of yet and is on a deal with Swanson for them at 5 1/2 cents for the steers delivered at Merrill, where Swanson will feed.

Mr. Green met the band of beef belonging to the ranchers down the valley on their way to Gazelle, and they had not sold yet.

Geo. M. Jones of Paisley and Jack Partin of Summer Lake drove about 400 head of cows and steers to Merrill where they sold their steers to Swanson at 5 1/2 cents per lb. Mr. Partin disposed of his cows also.

F. P. Grohs of Langell valley sold his steers delivered at Gazelle to W. D. Duke for Miller & Lux, at 6 1/2 cents, and for cows, all that would weigh 500 pounds, he received \$20 a head.

S. P. Dicks and Frank Bauers drove their cattle to Gazelle where they sold their steers to Edison for 5 1/2 cents. They will probably ship the cows to a commission house.

Akin, Swanson, Gerber and Bird are now buying in Klamath county. Bird is buying feeders.

B. Daly received a telegram from F. M. Miller yesterday stating that the 400 TT cows were sold at Gazelle for 4 1/2 cents.

It is believed that real fat steers now will bring as high as 7 cents, but this class of cattle is scarce. Most of the cows will have to go to commission houses.

Willis Scammon says he has got up some horses and mules, and is waiting for a buyer.

C. Fisher, the Warner sheep man came to Lakeview Sunday after another bunch of those thoroughbred bucks. Mr. Fisher has been buying more sheep, and intends to breed them up by using thoroughbred bucks. He bought 10 head from Lafollet & Collins.

D. H. Grove is here from Cedarville. He is expecting to make a purchase of 2000 head of stock sheep from S. B. Chaudler.

L. A. Moss expects to leave soon for Montague with about two thousand head of mutton sheep. About half of them belong to Hon. S. P. Moss.

Walter and Thos. Sherlock went to Bly last Friday, to look at Tom's mutton sheep. Walter will take most of the 2000 head to San Francisco, to the Don-Biggs Co., to be slaughtered.

Mr. Grant Wilcox of Red Bluff, Cal., has bought from Messrs. Moss and Sanders about 2000 head of mutton and feeders for future delivery to the San Francisco market.

Joe Keuney was at Merrill Monday destined for Montague with 1700 mutton sheep some of which were from the Harvey flocks and we understand will be consigned to H. Levy.

Mr. Asmus Tonningesen acting in the interest of H. Levy of San Francisco is at Montague and adjacent points superintending the shipping

of stock being consigned to his house.

W. A. and Thos. Sherlock returned from Bly Monday. Walter bought 1100 head of sheep from Tom, and will ship the remainder to the commission house of Don Biggs Co., San Francisco. He paid \$2.25 for those he bought.

Mr. Walter Sherlock left Wednesday morning for Madeline accompanied by Mr. A. Fransen of Reno, who is representing U. M. Slater sheep butchers of San Francisco. We will say incidental to Mr. Fransen's visit that his persistent attempts to trade with sheepmen here were unsuccessful inasmuch as he received little encouragement from a trader's point of view—also that there seemed a manifest reluctance to "let go" in the face of a steadily rising wool market and a general confidence in the future market—well established or not we can not now say—on account of its present treacherous condition.

We are informed by Inspector Smith of the movement in the near

future of a number of cattle drives from the Wood River country which will necessitate his being in the vicinity of Klamath Falls next week.

Mr. Geo. Phillips of Red Bluff, Cal., crossed his sheep into Modoc county last week. They go into feed lots at Red Bluff preparatory to conditioning for the Frisco market about February.

Zac Whitworth is on his way to the desert with his sheep. Zac left the sheep at the Loveless corrals Tuesday and came to town.

Mr. Champagne and Mr. McCulley left for Silver Lake where they expect to buy some mutton.

Frank Bloomingcamp and Jim Redding of Bly, left town after trying in vain to get hold of a bunch of mutton sheep.

J. H. Collins gave us a list of sheepmen who bought bucks this week and the number each one purchased.

C. Fisher of Warner valley, 10; Geo. Hankins of Summer Lake, 10; E. Casebeer, of Bly, 11; Owen McKendree of Bly, 14; Pete Grob of

Lakeview, 20; Geo. Fitzgerald of Warner, 10; J. S. Eield of Lakeview, 4.

In Litigation.

Through its attorneys, Colvig and Durham, says the Klamath Express, the Klamath Falls Irrigation Co. (the Henly-Ankeny Ditch Co.) filed a complaint Monday in the Circuit Court here asking for a perpetual injunction and \$5000 damages against the Klamath Canal Co. because the latter corporation has trespassed upon the right of way of the former corporation, and has placed enormous quantities of earth and rock, covering a distance of more than 500 yards, along the right of way of the Irrigating Co. This, the complaint alleges, has made it difficult, and in many places impossible for plaintiff and its employees to go along the line of its said ditch and use teams thereon necessary in repairing the same or in widening and increasing its capacity.

On Tuesday Sheriff Obenchain served a temporary injunction order issued by Judge Benson on the Klamath Canal Co.

DISPOSED OF FEW CASES

Ben Warner Escheat Case Settled at Last--Warner Valley Case Still Being Argued

BARRY CASE REOPENED TODAY

Court convened Monday morning at 10 o'clock. The case of John Brautlacht was called and defendant was turned over to the county court. His case has not yet been decided, but the county judge will probably commit him to the reform school this week. His behavior there will decide the length of his term.

The list of jurors was called and the first day was mostly spent in empanelling a jury for the Barry case. Seven jurors were secured out of the regular drawn list, and a new list was drawn Monday evening and a deputy sent out to summons them. The case will be resumed this morning at 10 o'clock.

During intervals the case of the State of Oregon vs. the Warner Valley Stock Co., was heard, which case is being presented upon demurrers to complaint.

Attorney General Crawford and Judge Watson of Portland represent the plaintiffs, Judge Watson being special counsel for the State, while C. A. Cogswell represents the Warner Valley Stock company.

Warner Valley Stock Co., vs. Tonningsen, demurrer withdrawn by defendant and leave given to answer. Warner Valley Stock Co., vs. Taylor, demurrer withdrawn by defendant and leave to answer given.

Tuesday morning the case of the State vs. John Hall, (colored) for larceny was called. Dalrymple was appointed by the Court as counsel for defendant. Defendant plead guilty at 10 o'clock and was sentenced to one year in the penitentiary.

In the matter of the estate of Benj. Warner deceased, et al. vs. the State of Oregon: The case was tried Saturday without a jury. The heirs recover \$7000 from the State of Oregon. J. C. Peirsof of Monroe City, Mo., J. D. Venator and W. A. Wilshire represented the plaintiffs and W. J. Moore District Attorney represented the State.

State of Oregon vs. A. L. Howell, passed for term.

Fifteen new jurymen arrived here last evening from the northern part of the county. The first venire, except those regularly empaneled, were discharged for the term Tuesday by Judge Benson.

R. C. Foster, T. B. Wakefield, W. B. Bernard, J. S. Branch, Leo Emerson, Eldon Woodcock, S. J. Studley, are the jury empaneled in the Barry case.

Now at College.

The following list of students from Lake county now at the Agricultural College at Corvallis was sent us by Prof. J. B. Horner, who states that they are progressing nicely, and he urges that more of the kind be sent. He says the quality is satisfactory, and he desires more of the kind:

- Ruby Foster.....Summer Lake
- Mae Harris....." "
- Robert O. Horning.....Silver Lake
- Irvin E. Small....." "
- Joseph C. Wright....." "
- Lula Marie Wright....." "
- Olive Isabel Wright....." "

OFFICIAL PRESIDENTIAL BALLOT.

Five Parties Will be Voted For in Oregon This Election.

Secretary of State Dunbar has made up the form of the official ballot for the Presidential election next month. Opposite the names of each set of candidates for Presidential Electors the names of the candidates for President and Vice-President are given. In the case of the People's party candidates the initials of the candidates are not given for the reason that only the surnames were given in the nominating petition, and the Secretary of State must follow the records as he finds them.

The form of the ballot is as follows:

FOR ELECTORS FOR PRESIDENT AND VICE-PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES:		Vote For Four.
12 G. B. DIMMICK, of Clackamas county.....Republican	For President: THEODORE ROOSEVELT. For Vice-President: CHARLES W. FAIRBANKS.	
13 JAMES A. FEE, of Umatilla county.....Republican		
14 J. N. HART, of Polk county.....Republican		
15 A. C. HOUGH, of Josephine county.....Republican		
16 THOMAS H. CRAWFORD, of Union county.....Democratic	For President: ALTON B. PARKER. For Vice-President: HENRY G. DAVIS.	
17 W. B. DILLARD, of Columbia county.....Democratic		
18 WALTER S. HAMILTON, of Douglas county.....Democratic		
19 J. A. JEFFREY, of Marion county.....Democratic	For President: SILAS C. SWALLOW. For Vice-President: GEORGE W. CARROLL.	
20 I. H. AMOS, of Multnomah county.....Prohibition		
21 LESLIE BUTLER, of Wasco county.....Prohibition		
22 W. P. ELMORE, of Linn county.....Prohibition	For President: EUGENE V. DEBBS. For Vice-President: BEN HANFORD.	
23 T. S. McDANIEL, of Multnomah county.....Prohibition		
24 C. W. BARZEE, of Wasco county.....Socialist		
25 WILLIAM BEARD, of Clackamas county.....Socialist	For President: WATSON. For Vice-President: TIBBLES.	
26 J. C. HERRINGTON, of Multnomah county.....Socialist		
27 S. H. HOLT, of Jackson.....Socialist		
28 J. L. HILL, of Linn county.....Peoples		
29 L. H. McMAHAN, of Marion county.....Peoples		
30 P. E. PHELPS, of Malheur county.....Peoples		
31 G. F. SCHMITLEIN, of Jackson county.....Peoples		

A New Kind of Fence.

John R. Hammond, a former resident of Lake county, and who yet owns property at Paisley, arrived in Lakeview last Friday evening from Reno, where he has resided the past two years. Mr. Hammond is extensively interested in mines in California. He is associated with his brother and other prominent mining men, and it is said they own a valuable mine. Mr. Hammond is also interested in the Pacific U. S. Fence Co., a corporation recently organized at Reno. The company manufactures a wire fence that is proving to be superior to any yet put up. The wires are smooth, as to barbs, but are kinked, or wavy, made so in order to give the fence elasticity, the wire being spring steel. The fence when completed is almost unbreakable, either by animals coming in violent contact with it or by ex-

pansion and contraction caused by heat and cold. The kinked steel wire remedies a defect in the straight wire fences which causes it to contract with cold and break and become expanded by heat and get slack, allowing the stays to fall out. The fence will turn the most vicious animal, as when it lunges against a well made fence of this make the animal is suddenly thrown backward by the spring in the fence.

The stays can be placed either close together or far apart, to suit the needs or taste of the builder. As many wires can be used as is desired, making a hog, or even rabbit tight fence, and posts can be placed a long or short distance apart. When the wire stays are put in place an iron clamp which fastens the wire stay to the fence wire makes a solid mesh that cannot be spread by hogs or calves poking their heads through as

is the case with other smooth wire fences, and when one wire is broken it does not slacken on either side of the stays and can be easily repaired. The necessary tools for building and repairing the fence go with the material. This fence also relieves the anxiety of the farmer who is always having a horse cut up or ruined on a barb wire fence, or his favorite cow ruined. The barb wire is a dangerous fence and has resulted in considerable loss to stock men.

Mr. Hammond put up a sample of this fence Monday on the south side of Hotel Lakeview, and its merits can be investigated by anyone.

To Start Perfume Factory.

E. D. Lutz of Silver Lake has launched a new industry. He has a large number of pet skunks, and it is presumed that his intentions are to start a perfume factory.